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Field Crops

Alfalfa condition varies from fair to excellent. Harvesting is still active in some areas of the State. Sheeping-off remains active in many areas. Range and pasture conditions varies from poor to good.

Arizona Vegetables, Fruit & Specialty Crops

This week Central Arizona growers shipped bok choy, broccoli, cabbage, Chinese cabbage, kale, parsley, and various citrus.

Western Arizona growers shipped arrugula, bok choy, broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, celery, cilantro, Chinese cabbage, endive, escarole, frisee, kale, Boston, Iceberg, red leaf, Romaine lettuce, parsley, radicchio, spinach, and various citrus.

Crop Condition

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
			- Percent -		
Alfalfa	-	6	35	42	17
Range and Pasture	6	16	43	30	5

Weather Summary

Temperatures were mostly above normal across the State for the week ending January 30th, ranging from 4 degrees below normal at Douglas and St. John's to 6 degrees above normal at Grand Canyon. The highest

temperature of the week was 77 degrees at Paloma, Roll, and Yuma. The lowest reading was 10 degrees at St. John's. There was no precipitation recorded in any of the twenty-two weather stations.

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Temperature and Precipitation Data											
January 24th, 2011 - January 30th, 2011											
	Temperature				Precipitation						
	_			_	Past	Jan. 1	Departure	Percent			
Station	Avg.	Dep. 1/	High	Low	Week	to Date	From Normal	of Normal			
Aguila	50	1	71	31	0.00	0.00	-1.17	0			
Buckeye	55	1	72	35	0.00	0.00	-0.65	0			
Canyon De Chelly	32	0	57	14	0.00	0.12	-0.58	17			
Coolidge	50	-3	76	25	0.00	0.00	-0.82	0			
Douglas	43	-4	66	16	0.00	0.00	-0.71	0			
Flagstaff	33	4	54	14	0.00	0.00	-1.97	0			
Grand Canyon	32	6	55	12	0.00	0.02	-2.40	1			
Kingman	45	2	65	27	0.00	0.03	-0.87	3			
Marana	54	2	76	33	0.00	0.00	-1.05	0			
Maricopa	51	-2	76	28	0.00	0.00	-0.68	0			
Paloma	53	-3	77	28	0.00	0.00	-0.60	0			
Parker	52	-3	75	29	0.00	0.00	-0.80	0			
Payson	40	1	60	18	0.00	0.02	-1.93	1			
Phoenix	58	4	73	42	0.00	0.01	-0.64	2			
Prescott	41	4	62	21	0.00	0.00	-1.48	0			
Roll	54	-1	77	31	0.00	0.00	-0.34	0			
Safford	44	-2	66	21	0.00	0.00	-0.66	0			
St. Johns	31	-4	57	10	0.00	0.07	-0.58	11			
Tucson	53	2	73	33	0.00	0.00	-0.85	0			
Willcox	42	-3	67	18	0.00	0.00	-0.91	0			
Winslow	36	2	63	11	0.00	0.00	-0.43	0			
Yuma	60	3	77	41	0.00	0.00	-0.34	0			
1/ Departure of temperature for reporting period from average temperature for that week.											

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